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Re: RR 15L-24R: Strong Country for Today and Tomorrow

Dear Attorney Jordan:

This letter is to confirm that Strong Country for Today and Tomorrow (the "Committee") has remedied all the transactions identified by your office.

The Committee wishes to highlight its remarkable, overall record of compliance, and that the purportedly \$67,800 of untimely refunds, reallocations, or re-designations constitutes a trifling fraction of a percentage point of the total contributions the Committee received in the 2014 cycle. In fact, this represents a timely compliance success record of over 99% of all receipts in that cycle. Further, the amount untimely refunded in 2015 was \$50 to Mr. Burr, representing a nearly immeasurable percentage of the Committee's total receipts — a compliance record of nearly 100% success.

Further, the Committee spent considerable resources and took a number of steps to achieve such substantial compliance. The Committee utilized two different compliance and processing firms with robust compliance systems overseen by the Committee. It developed and required vendors to comply with policies regarding the routing, screening, batching, and coding of all contributions. At numerous steps in the process, the system employed a number of checks that ensured compliance with both the internal processes and federal regulations. As an illustration, the vendors' respective processes required several steps to be passed prior to a contribution being settled. One of these steps required analysis to determine whether a contributor was over his or her contribution limit. The compliance firms also ran frequent analyses to screen for and resolve issues such as excessive contributions.

In addition, the Committee has worked closely with the Reports Analysis Division to answer questions regarding compliance issues and resolve issues identified regarding the Committee's handling of contributions.

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In view of the aforementioned, the Committee respectfully requests that this matter be dismissed without any further action. Naturally, should you require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your consideration, and I greatly hope this information has been helpful.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "V A DeVito".

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